

PATINA ENGLISH · TEACHER'S KEY

Unit 17: Skills and Resumes

The notes for running each material in class, and every answer key, in book order. The student book has neither.

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1 Skills WORDS

IN CLASS

On Zoom: present this full-screen with the words hidden. "Number 6. What can she do?" The class types it in the chat. Then "Who can sew?" and the class calls out a name. With the job pictures, ask "What can a mechanic do?" Then everyone says one skill: "I can ___."

No key.

2 Skill Sprint WORDS

A game, played on the screen. No key.

3 And · But GRAMMAR

IN CLASS

stage the Can card and say "He cooks. He can cook. What went away?" Then stage And and But and ask "Same or different?" For **Join them**, everyone types the whole sentence in the chat; the room argues about and or but before you reveal it.

ANSWER KEY

Join them: 1 but · 2 and · 3 and · 4 but · 5 but · 6 and · 7 but · 8 but. **Make it a question:** Can she sew? · Can they work nights? · Can you use a computer? **Fix the sentence:** He can cook. · She can drive. · I can't work nights. · I can drive, and I can cook. · She was a cashier, but now she is a pharmacist. · Can you drive?

4 Build It: And or But GRAMMAR

IN CLASS

project it and build the first half together. Then let the room choose the second half, and ask "**and or but?**" before anyone taps. Everyone types the finished sentence in the chat. · ➡ On paper: circle one word in each column, then write your sentence.

ANSWER KEY

And: I can cook, and I can use a computer. · They can't drive, and they can't work weekends. **But:** Sam can drive, but he can't cook. · You can speak Spanish, but you can't lift heavy boxes.
The rule: **can** + **can**, or **can't** + **can't** → and · **can** + **can't** → but.

5 Sam's Resume REAL WORLD

IN CLASS

"Look at the job ad. Now look at Sam's resume. Can Sam work weekends? Put your answer in the chat." Then the one sentence: everyone types it, and the room checks for but. For ★★★, breakouts: one partner reads the officer's question, the other answers out loud. Nothing personal is typed on this page.

No key.

6 Job Postings **REAL WORLD**

IN CLASS

stage one posting and read it like a real ad: "What is the pay? What days? What do you need?" Then "Which job needs a driver's license?" into the chat. For the four people, ask "Is Luis right for the store clerk job?" and let the room argue with but. Last part in breakouts: which job is right for you? Nothing personal is typed on this page.

ANSWER KEY

Find it: Maintenance Worker · Barista · Medical Receptionist · \$17–\$19 an hour | **Real posting words:** lift heavy boxes · make coffee · give first aid · climb a ladder · cut grass | **Right job:** Nadia: Medical Receptionist · Luis: Barista · Rosa: Store Clerk · David: Maintenance Worker | **Why not:** Luis can help customers, but he can't pack boxes. Rosa can help customers, but she can't make coffee. Nadia can help customers, but she can't pack boxes. | **Line cook, for example:** Prepare food · Wash dishes · Keep the kitchen clean. Nice to have: Bilingual (Spanish).

7 What Can You Do? **LISTEN**

IN CLASS

play the whole scene once with the script hidden and Share sound on. "Number 1 — Can Sam drive a forklift? Tap it." Play it again. Then Show the script, read it in two voices with the room, and point out the short forms. For ★★★, play one line at a time. **Now you** has no key.

ANSWER KEY

★ **Listen:** Yes, he can. · Monday to Friday ★★ **Listen and read:** No. · No. · English and French · No. ★★★ **Listen and write:** but · and · can.